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IDOC Golf Open Wins Big

Indianapolis, IN – (May 20, 2010) On Friday, May 14, 2010 the Indiana Department of Correction (IDOC) came out to support their own. During the first Indiana Correctional Peace Officer Fund Golf Open Tournament over \$32,000 was raised to benefit the Indiana Correctional Peace Officer Fund (ICPOF).



The teams await the start of the tournament.

Twenty-seven teams comprised of IDOC employees, sponsors, and other participants competed in the golf tournament held at the Valle Vista Golf Course in Greenwood, IN. Prizes were given to the three teams with the best score. Sponsors donated prizes for a putting contest and hole-in-one contests throughout the golf course. Other door prizes were also handed out. Among the golf open's sponsors were Keefe Group, Global Tel-Link, Shawn Tech, Management and Training Corporation, Correctional Medical Services, Liberty Behavioral Health, Public Communication Systems, Intelmate, Aramark, GEO Group, Securus Technologies, Wexford Group, Embarq, and Pro Tech Monitoring.

ICPOF was established in 2009 as a 501(c) (3) charity that provides aid to Indiana Department of Correction employees or family members in a time of need if the correctional employee has suffered a loss as the result of a natural disaster or if the employee is killed or injured in the line of duty. The fund also hopes in the future to offer scholarships to employees and family members. The net proceeds from the ICPOF Golf Open Tournament were donated directly to the ICPOF.



Commissioner Buss addresses the golfers before the start of the tournament.

IDOC Commissioner Edwin G. Buss commented, “The success of this event is a great achievement for the Indiana Correctional Peace Officer Fund. It shows once again the wonderful support that IDOC staff continue to give to their fellow employees.

ICPOF Board Chair Randy Koester added, “On behalf of the board, special thanks go to all attendees, golfers, sponsors, and volunteers alike, who have taken time out of their busy schedules to raise money for such a worthy cause. Special thanks also go to the event’s coordinators, who demonstrated tireless commitment in making this fundraising event a possible.”

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